



09-24-03

T02 Rec'd PCT/PTO

RCE/16358  
22 SEP 2003  
1635  
PATENT

DOCKET NO.: 1635-3013



## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

RECEIVED

In Re Application of:

Confirmation No.: 7420

OCT 01 2003

Dean et al.

Group Art Unit: 1635

TECH CENTER 1600/2900

Application No.: 09/403,539

Filing Date: October 22, 1999

Examiner: Jane J. Zara

For: OLIGONUCLEOTIDES FOR ENHANCED BIOAVAILABILITY

EXPRESS MAIL LABEL NO: EL 969191732 US  
DATE OF DEPOSIT: September 22, 2003

EL969191732US

Mail Stop

☒ AF☐ ISSUE FEE

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL PURSUANT  
TO 37 CFR § 1.114This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR § 1.114 of the  
above-identified application.

## 1. Submission required under 37 CFR § 1.114

☐

Previously submitted

☐Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 CFR § 1.116 previously  
filed on . (Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will  
be entered).☐Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously  
filed on .☐

Other:

☒

Enclosed

19/01/2003 6225:11 0000001 232556 03403539  
00 0000001 110.00 00